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Applicant : Shunpei Yamazaki, et al.                      Art Unit : 2871  
Serial No. : 09/126,826                                      Examiner : Dung T. Nguyen  
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Title : METHOD FOR PRODUCING DISPLAY DEVICE

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PETITION TO WITHDRAW FROM ISSUE

Applicant hereby petitions under §1.313(c)(2) for the withdrawal of this application from issue to permit consideration of an Information Disclosure Statement filed in a continuing application. The issue fee was paid on November 22, 2005.

A request for continued examination of this application under §1.114 is being filed simultaneously herewith. The request for continued examination is intended to continue this application on the grant of this petition.

Enclosed is a check for \$130 in payment of the petition fee required by 1.17(i). Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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